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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Mark ALPEROVICH et al. Confirmation No.: 2697  
Application No: 09/493,818 Group Art Unit: 1756  
Filing Date: January 28, 2000 Examiner: Martin J. Angebranndt  
For: METHOD FOR INCREASING Attorney Docket No: 85134-6200  
FLUORESCENT SIGNAL OF OPTICAL  
DISCS WITH FLUORESCENT READING  
AND RESULTANT DISCS

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

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Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed December 22, 2005, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks for entry into the above-identified application.

**CLAIM AMENDMENTS** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**REMARKS** begin on page 5 of this paper.

A Terminal Disclaimer, with provision for the required fee, is also submitted herewith as discussed herein.

No fee is believed to be due for this submission. Should any fees be required, however, please charge such fees to Winston & Strawn LLP Deposit Account No. 50-1814.